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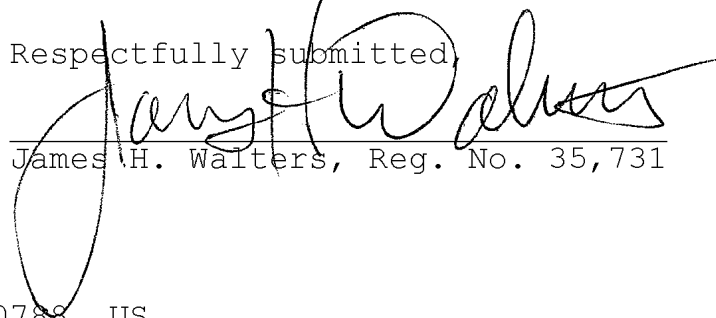
Reconsideration is respectfully requested. Claims 15, 17, 19-22 and 25-27 are present in the application. Claims 15 and 17 are amended herein to place them in allowable condition as noted by the Office Action.

Applicant's representative thanks the Examiner for noting amendments that would put the application into allowable form. The claims are amended herein and accordingly, the application is now believed to be in allowable form.

The Examiner is asked to contact applicant's attorney at 503-224-0115 if there are any questions.

It is believed that the required fees are being submitted herewith. However, if additional fees are required to keep the application pending, please charge deposit account 503036. If fee refund is owed, please refund to deposit account 503036.

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